

FOCH HURLS FRANCO-AMERICANS
TO CUT OFF THE HINDENBURG LINE

Great Attack Started By French On the Champagne Front and Another By the Americans Further to the East, After Heavy Bombardment

SUCCESS WOULD OUTFLANK BOTH LAON AND ST. QUENTIN

Early Reports From French Headquarters Stated That the Attack "Was Progressing Most Favorably"
—British Repulse Germans

(By the Associated Press.)

French and American troops to-day are storming the German positions in Champagne and farther east in what apparently is another major stroke by Marshal Foch. The new offensive is progressing favorably, according to early reports.

The thrust comes on a front which has not been very active since the Germans failed to advance in Champagne in the defeated offensive of July 15 east and west of Rheims. French soldiers are attacking in Champagne, which runs from Rheims eastward to the Argonne, west of Verdun. The Americans are moving forward east of the Champagne simultaneously with General Petain's men.

Great possibilities might result from a successful allied advance on the front east of Rheims, as the German communications would be severed and the formidable enemy positions from Arras to Laon endangered with the important southern end outflanked. The length of the attacking front is not disclosed, but it may possibly be from Rheims eastward past Verdun to southwest of Metz.

In local operations between Cambrai and St. Quentin on the western front, the British are pushing farther into the Hindenburg line and capturing points vital to the defense of St. Quentin. West and northwest of St. Quentin, the British have advanced in the regions of Selency and Gri-court.

Paris, Sept. 26.—French and American troops began a joint attack this morning on the Champagne front and in the region beyond it on the east, to-day's war office statement announces.

With the French Army in France, Sept. 26, 9:10 a. m. (By the Associated Press).—French troops to-day attacked in the Champagne in a thick fog after a period of artillery preparation which terminated in an hour of most intense gunfire. The early indications were that the attack was progressing most favorably.

SMALL BRITISH GAINS.

Were Made Near Selency and Gri-court.

London, Sept. 26.—Northwest of St. Quentin, British troops continued their pressure against the German defenses and have captured enemy strong points in the neighborhood of Selency and Gri-court, Field Marshal Haig reported to-day.

In Flanders the British likewise has been advanced, progress having been made in the sector of La Bassee.

The statement reads:
"Local operations were continued successfully yesterday afternoon and during the night northwest of St. Quentin. English troops progressed and captured certain strongly defended localities in the neighborhood of Selency and Gri-court, together with a number of prisoners."

"In addition to the counter attacks already reported, which were launched by the enemy yesterday northwest of Fayet, his troops twice attacked the positions north of Gri-court. These attacks were repulsed."

"A successful minor operation was carried out yesterday by English troops northwest of LaBassee, as the result of which the line was advanced and over one hundred prisoners were taken. A counter attack launched by the enemy in this locality during the night was repulsed and several prisoners were left in our hands."

42,000 TURKISH PRISONERS.

Have Been Taken in Palestine By Allied Forces.

Paris, Sept. 26.—(Havas).—The number of Turkish prisoners taken in Palestine now aggregate 42,000, according to the latest advice reaching Paris.

A British official statement Wednesday reported 40,000 Turks and 285 guns had been captured.

FRENCH WIN NORTH OF AISNE.

Germans Were Ejected After Making Some Gains.

Paris, Sept. 26.—Renewed German attacks north of the Aisne have been repulsed. At one point where the Germans gained a foothold upon the French positions they were ejected by a counter attack, says to-day's war office statement.

The statement reads:
"Between the Ailette and the Aisne, the Germans renewed their attacks last evening in the region of Allamant and Laffaux, the Germans succeeded at the

PREFERRED WIFE TO THRONE.

Crown Prince Charles of Rumania Believes Latter Too Uncertain.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—In answer to pleas that he desert his bride of humble birth, Crown Prince Charles of Rumania has replied that thrones are so unstable nowadays that he preferred the certainty of having the wife he wanted to the chance of losing the succession.

The escape of the crown prince in going to Olesca and marrying Cecilie Lambring, the daughter of a major in the Rumanian army, reopened the question of the Rumanian dynastic succession. When King Ferdinand heard of the marriage he ordered that the crown prince be given 75 days' solitary confinement for deserting himself without leave from his garrison.

King Ferdinand also sent an emissary to Bender, Bessarabia, where the young couple are spending their honeymoon, with instructions to try to undo the nuptial knot, but to no avail. The bride refused to part with her wedding ring, and the crown prince declined to leave her.

Crown Prince Charles has not yet voluntarily renounced his rights of succession, and the king is reported to be very angry. The Rumanian constitution does not contain a clause barring a morganatically married crown prince from succession to the throne.

Should Crown Prince Charles renounce his rights of succession, his brother, Nicholas, would become the heir apparent. Nicholas is 15 years old and physically weak.

EULOGIZED THE SWORD.

Grand Admiral Von Koester Said It Was One of Man's Needs.

Amsterdam, Sept. 26.—"We must be victorious if we are not to perish politically and economically," Grand Admiral Von Koester, former commander-in-chief of the German fleet, declared in a speech to the German navy league at Dortmund, a Berlin message reports.

"After the war," continued the admiral, "our ships in large numbers must traverse the ocean and we must have colonies, with strong points of support. We want free trade on the seas and we will get that under the protection of the German fleet."

The speaker eulogized the sword as a means of victory, declaring:
"As nature needs storms, as God has given beasts teeth and claws, man also needs the sword."

In referring to the proposed league of nations, Admiral Von Koester declared Germany would only have the role of a Cinderella in it.

WOULD TEND TOWARD DEFEAT.

International Socialist Bureau at Berne Abandoned.

Paris, Sept. 26.—(Havas).—Pietet J. Troelstra, the Dutch Socialist leader, has failed in his effort to create an international Socialist bureau, with headquarters at Berne, it is reported here. He has conferred with Swiss Socialists, and it is said that Socialists from several entente countries, notably Italy, went there to confer with him. It is understood that the bureau, if created, would have had a defeatist tendency and that efforts were to have been made to spread the movement through all countries at war with Germany.

Pro-Germans in the United States were to have been approached by agents of the bureau, it is said.

SUBSCRIBES A MILLION.

Arlington Mills Co., Announces Support of Liberty Loan.

Boston, Sept. 26.—The Arlington Mills corporation notified the Liberty loan committee to-day that it would subscribe for \$1,000,000 of fourth Liberty loan bonds to be credited to Lawrence and other cities and towns in which the company has property. The United States Warrented company has voted to buy \$500,000 worth of bonds.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

William Brown accompanied his brother, George A. Brown, to Ayer, Mass., early to-day to take charge of the remains of Supply Sgt. Robert Brown, whose death was reported last night.

Specimens of the late cotton plants which abounded in the field, surrounding Camp Wadsworth, Sparta, N. C., are being displayed in the window of Martin's Book store. The plants were sent to this city by Sgt. W. S. Luce of the 57th pioneers and are the property of relatives in the city.

The Liberty loan rally, which was to be held at the Barre opera house next Saturday night will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, the plans having been changed to-day because the French officer, Lieut. Beaufort, who is to speak, is one day late in filling his engagements in Vermont. Other announcements will be made later.

Frank Murphy, who was assigned to the Pelham Bay training station soon after he enlisted in the navy, has been selected with three other apprentices in sailors to attend a gunnery school, in a recent practice shoot on the station ranges, Seaman Murphy was one of four among 125 sent to qualify.

Giuseppe Pellegrini of Foss street left yesterday for Yaphank, N. Y., where he was called to see his cousin, Private Z. Pellegrini, who was reported seriously ill in a telegram received Tuesday night. Before the Foss street man reached his destination, friends of Private Pellegrini received a message telling of the soldier's death.

Walter Tobin, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tobin of Academy street, who enrolled as a student in a Boston business college some weeks ago, writes his parents that he has been quite seriously ill with the Spanish influenza. A shortage of physicians in greater Boston sent many victims of the malady hurrying to the drug store for prescriptions, and the writer of the letter, in describing the purchase of medicine for his ill son, states that he waited in line for six hours while the crowd ahead of him was obtaining its packet of pellets.

BULGARIAN ARMY CUT OFF

Its Main Line of Communication Was Severed at Izvor To-day

GRADSKO STATION WAS CAPTURED

With It an Enormous Quantity of Supplies and 19 Guns

London, Sept. 26.—Reports in official quarters here indicate that the Pripet-Veloz road has been cut at Izvor, isolating the first Bulgarian army from its main line of communication and placing it in a precarious position. The first army is on the allied left.

Serbian troops reached the outskirts of Izbit, an important Bulgarian base, on Tuesday, says a Serbian official statement dated Wednesday. Elsewhere east of the Vardar the Serbians have made important gains.

The Serbs also have captured Gradsko station, southeast of Eskub. It was defended by German troops. An enormous quantity of supplies, including 19 guns, was captured by the Serbians.

ON BULGARIAN SOIL.

British Troops Now Are Opposite Koprivno.

Saloniki, Sept. 26.—Bulgaria has been invaded by allied troops, according to a British official statement issued here to-day. British troops entered Bulgarian territory opposite Koprivno, about six miles south of Strumitsa, the enemy base in this region.

COTLE-WILKINS.

Waterbury Woman the Bride of U. S. Naval Man.

Waterbury, Sept. 26.—A pretty home wedding took place at 7 o'clock last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wilkins of Main street when their daughter, Miss Marion Wilkins, was united in marriage to Leslie Arthur Cotle of Scranton, Pa., an electrician in the U. S. navy. The wedding was performed amid decorations of the Stars and Stripes and autumn foliage and flowers.

Rev. V. L. Smith of this village was the officiating clergyman, assisted by Rev. Lewis Johnston of Patchogue, N. Y. The bride was given in blue serge and carried a bouquet of roses and mignonette. She was attended by Miss Dorothy Folsom of Watfield, who wore blue voile. The groom was attended by Charles Kew. The maid of honor was fortunate in catching the bride's bouquet.

Among those attending the wedding was the bride's aunt, Mrs. A. H. Stimpson of Burlington.

LABOR ALLOTMENTS.

Counties of Vermont Get Their Quotas in Essential Service.

R. W. Simonds, federal director of the U. S. employment service, has been called to Washington to attend a conference relative to labor conditions in the state. He will leave here Saturday to attend the conference relative to child labor, to meet the secretary of labor, and the war priority board, and the U. S. employment service. He has made the county allotments, giving the number of men each county will have to give of the 3,430 allotted to Vermont. These are: Addison 149, Bennington 157, Caledonia 259, Chittenden 49, Essex 69, Franklin and Grand Isle 338, Lamoille 94, Orange 142, Orleans 172, Rutland 479, Washington 419, Windham 404, Windsor 339.

BODY TAKEN TO MARSHFIELD.

Funeral of Martin D. Bemis Was Held in Barre To-day.

The funeral of Martin D. Bemis, father of G. A. Bemis, whose death at the home of his son, 56 Long street, Tuesday, followed a long period of failing health, was held at the house this forenoon at 11 o'clock, Rev. J. B. Reardon, pastor of the Barre Universalist church, officiating. Those who acted as bearers are members of the Pythian lodge in Marshfield, with which the deceased was long affiliated. They are: Gilbert Dwinell, Bernard Cameron, Eldred Pitkin and James Boudry. A number of other Marshfield people were in the city for the obsequies. The body was taken this afternoon to Marshfield for interment in the family lot in the village cemetery.

SAWED BARS AND ESCAPED.

John Baker, 17, Was Wanted for a Number of Burglaries.

Stratford, Conn., Sept. 26.—John Baker, alias Smith, 17 years old, sometime during the night sawed through the bars of his cell in the town jail and made his escape. His absence was not discovered until this morning.

According to the police Baker is wanted for a number of burglaries throughout the state. He was arrested in Bridgeport Monday night, when caught in the act of robbing a grocery store.

FINAL FIGHT ON SUFFRAGE

Was Started in Senate To-day on the Susan B. Anthony Amendment

CROWDED GALLERIES HEARD THE DEBATE

And Each Side Is Claiming Enough Votes for a Victory

Washington, D. C., Sept. 26.—Plans for a vote by the Senate to-day on the federal woman suffrage amendment virtually were abandoned in the midst of debate. Chairman Jones, of the woman suffrage committee, Majority Leader Martin and other leaders of both factions joined in private statements that the resolution would go over until Saturday. While the Senate debate was under way with crowded galleries awaiting the final test, Chairman Jones made the following statement to a representative of the Associated Press:
"It now appears likely that no vote will be taken to-day and that the resolution will go over until next Saturday, when Senator La Follette of Wisconsin is due to arrive."

BARRE SCHOOLS CLOSED TILL MONDAY

Sixteen Teachers Out on Account of Sickness and Pupil Attendance Reduced in Some Cases to One-Half.

With 16 teachers out on account of sickness and with the pupil attendance cut from 30 to 50 per cent in the grades and to one-quarter of the total in the high school, Superintendent C. H. White closed the schools this morning until Monday morning. Notices were posted at all the buildings and the teachers were notified by telephone. The retreat of the school children from the buildings this morning was so precipitate as to become almost a rout, the small army of children showing unmistakable signs of life and enjoyment over the novel situation.

The attendance during the last few days has dwindled fast under the influence of the grip epidemic and when the teachers began to come down with the same ailment it was thought best to close the schools.

DIED OF GRIP.

Four Year-Old Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Turunen.

Hilda Turunen, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Turunen of 86 Berlin street, died last night. The child was taken sick only a few days ago, and her demise is believed to have been due to the grip. Besides her parents, she leaves a younger brother. She was born in Barre April 19, 1914. Funeral services will be held at the house Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and interment is to be made in Hope cemetery.

EVERYTHING CLOSED TIGHT.

St. Johnsbury Has 300 Influenza Cases, Ban Is Placed on Public Gatherings.

St. Johnsbury, Sept. 26.—By order of the board of health, schools, churches, theatres and all public places were ordered closed to-night until Oct. 7. This is an attempt to check the spread of influenza, as there are 300 cases here.

HIT IN FIVE PLACES.

Clark Tayntor Says War "Is a Great Game" and He Is Still in It.

The following letter from 1st Lieut. Clark O. Tayntor, with the American expeditionary forces in France, to his brother, Lewis Tayntor, was forwarded by the latter to Mrs. Nellie L. Kidder of Summer street, and inasmuch as the letter tells of Lieut. Tayntor's wounds it will be of much interest to the people of Barre, his former home.

"This is Sunday—about the 17th of August I guess, and it will be two weeks to-morrow that I got wounded, but I'm coming fine. I stopped a piece of shell with my left hand and nearly lost a thumb, but I guess it will come out all O. K. Perhaps it will be a bit stiff. At the same time I deflected a couple of other shell fragments off their true course with both legs, but both cuts are quite superficial and I think they will be closed up in a few days if the thread holds out, but it wasn't half bad and I tell you there is no use to worry about me. At present I am in a base hospital near a little town of Verdun, not many miles from the Swiss border, and somewhere in the southern half of France. I really don't know just where. Wouldn't be surprised if I were out in three or four weeks if not before."

"All together I was hit in five different places. Once a first-aid packet in my pocket was nearly cut through, but that was all, and another time a spent fragment hit my leg flat-side, and only raised a bump, but I guess I can pick up more junk some place."

"Have saved two months' pay, so everything is O. K. Am getting the best of care and haven't a thing in the world to worry about. It's a great game and I'm still in it."

K. OF P. CONVENTION ENDED BY "DOKIES"

Several Candidates Were Initiated Last Evening—Attendance Was Not So Large as Usual.

Vermont Knights of Pythias, here yesterday for their 30th annual convention, closed their meetings last evening with a "Dokies" ceremony in Clan Gordon hall. The affair was held under the auspices of the 14th D. O. K. K., and while the attendance, owing to inclement weather and the prevalence of much illness, was much smaller than usual, the ceremonial proved to be a worthy finish to the convention. W. H. Duthie, the royal visitor, presided, and a number of other officers were present. The attendance included "Dokies" from several Vermont towns, from New Hampshire and from Canada.

The following Pythians undertook the eventful journey across the fiery sands of the big desert: Mark F. Cutler, W. W. Parry, E. L. Scott, Seaman John Gibb and William Black of Barre, E. A. Tupper of Orleans and Harry McDonald of Bellows Falls. They emerged smiling, after one of the most venturesome journeys in some years. Following the ceremonial a buffet luncheon was served. Most of the visiting Pythians as well as members of the fraternity who came only for the ceremonial left for their homes on early morning trains.

Before adjourning the business session late yesterday afternoon, the Pythians completed the task of electing officers for the ensuing year, so that the last, with the complement elected in the afternoon, stands as follows: Grand chancellor, Levi P. Miner of Rutland; grand keeper of records and seal, Frank E. Robinson of Barre; grand vice chancellor, N. A. Norton of Lyndonville; grand prelate, J. G. Hoyt of St. Albans; grand master of exchequer, F. W. Hardy of Orleans; grand inner guard, C. E. Crane of Middlebury; grand outer guard, C. P. French of St. Johnsbury; grand trustee for three years, W. H. Farrar of Montpelier; grand tribune, M. P. Maurice of Morrisville.

The matter of selecting a meeting place for the 1919 convention was left to the grand lodge officers.

ST. ALBANS WOMAN AT HEAD

Of Pythian Sisters of Vermont as Elected in Barre.

Pythian Sisters of Vermont closed their annual convention here yesterday afternoon by electing officers for the ensuing year. Because a combination of unusual circumstances kept the attendance down, it was not the most successful convention in years, but much important business was transacted and a feeling of optimism over the future of the organization was to be noted. No decision as to the meeting place in 1919 was reached, as the Sisters are accustomed to govern themselves in this respect by the action of the Knights of Pythias. When the time came for adjournment, the K. of P., which concluded its annual convention with a Dokies celebration last night, had not completed its business and the seat of the next annual gathering was much in doubt. But the Pythian Sisters were content to let the matter rest with the older organization.

The officers for 1918-19 are as follows: Grand chief, Mrs. Mabel Derick of St. Albans; grand senior, Mrs. Ada Hardy of Orleans; grand junior, Mrs. Maude Pierce of Hardwick; grand manager, Mrs. Lillian Cross of Underhill; grand mistress of records and correspondence, Mrs. Rachel Sumner of Montpelier; grand mistress of finance, Mrs. Maude Hunt of Orleans; grand protector, Mrs. Mae Elkins of North Troy; grand guard, Mrs. Cora Newcomb of Bellows Falls; past grand chief, Mrs. Lillian Zottman of Burlington; grand trustee, Mrs. Joseph Farrar of Montpelier; press correspondent, Mrs. Elmore Ewins of North Troy.

One of the interesting features of the afternoon meeting was an address by Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchinson of Portland, Me., supreme chief of the order. Fourteen of the 17 temples in the state were represented during the convention.

JURYMEN ALL EXCUSED.

Because They Had to Do Farming or Other Necessary Work.

Owing to the fact that many of the juryman originally called for the Washington county court work presented reasonable excuses, showing that most of them are needed on their farms or for other labor, all have been excused except those on the present case and a new panel of juryman were notified Wednesday afternoon to appear for the next trial, which will probably commence to-morrow.

The new juryman called are: V. E. Ayers, Barre; F. B. Bailey, Berlin; E. J. Bartlett, Plainfield; B. L. Bell, Berlin; H. B. Berman, Waterbury; D. R. Bisbee, Watfield; Fred Black, Middlesex; G. L. Blanchard, Montpelier; B. W. Boyd, Roxbury; A. M. Bingham, Waterbury; Fred Buchanan, Woodbury; F. H. Bulkeley, Moretown; B. L. Cameron, Marshfield; Fred J. Cardell, Warren; J. A. Chapin, Middlesex; M. E. Chase, Roxbury; S. P. Chase, Calais; J. A. Converse, Moretown; B. F. Davis, Barre Town; J. B. Fair, Woodbury; Henry Green, Watfield; L. L. Greenwood, Northfield; C. A. Hanks, Warren; Alfred Hatch, Calais; Vernon Hudson, Marshfield; Walter Lane, Plainfield; G. W. Luce, Montpelier; Burt Lyford, Cabot; Warren Murray, Duxbury; S. J. Norris, Cabot; E. E. Perry, Barre Town; E. E. Pray, East Montpelier; S. C. Rich, Northfield; Philip Shonio, Duxbury; Roy H. Sibbey, East Montpelier; F. L. Small, Barre.

The Bancroft vs. East Montpelier case was finished to-day. The plaintiff rested yesterday afternoon after two witnesses had been on the stand. Mrs. C. E. Lawrence, who was injured in the accident and who is the plaintiff in another case, told a story of the accident of a car going over the bank, her story being similar to those which had preceded. William Hersey, who was driving a car in front of the Bancroft automobile, testified that he was going about 20 miles an hour and that no effort was being made to get away from the other car. E. E. Pray, W. E. Pitkin, Willard Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richardson testified during the afternoon for the defense.

MORE BARRE MEN DIE IN SERVICE

Three Were the Victims of Pneumonia Growing Out of Spanish Influenza

PVT. ROBERT BROWN AT CAMP DEVENS

Seaman James McIntosh at Brooklyn, and Pvt. Zeno Pellegrini at Upton

Pneumonia growing out of the Spanish influenza claimed three Barre boys in training camps and at a naval station yesterday. Seaman James McIntosh, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor of Elmwood avenue, died at the Brooklyn, N. Y., navy yard. Private Robert Brown, a son of Mrs. John Brown of Bassett street, died at Camp Devens last night, and Private Zeno Pellegrini, whose home address is 99 Smith street, passed away at Camp Upton. Definite advice in all of the cases are not at hand, but it is expected that the bodies will arrive in Barre over the Central Vermont railroad this evening at 6:15 o'clock, or by to-morrow morning at the latest.

Tidings of the illness of Seaman James McIntosh reached his mother in an official telegram Tuesday evening. Immediately she and her son, Robert Taylor, a half-brother of the deceased sailor, made plans to go to Brooklyn, leaving Barre early Wednesday morning. Apparently they did not arrive before the young man's death, as late yesterday afternoon a telegram filed in Mrs. Taylor's name was delivered to Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart of 13 Central street. It bore the news of Seaman McIntosh's death.

The deceased, prior to his enlistment in the navy some five months ago, was a Barre granite cutter. He was born in this city around 26 years ago, and had always lived here until he joined the colors. Besides his mother, he leaves two half-brothers, Private William Taylor, who is serving in a Tennessee camp, and Robert Taylor, a senior in Spaulding high school. His father, Alexander McIntosh, died several years ago, and two brothers, George and Alex McIntosh, are more recently deceased.

Seaman McIntosh was a member of Clan Gordon, No. 12, and an attendant at the First Presbyterian church, where the service flag bears a star in his honor. He was highly esteemed by many acquaintances, especially among the young men of the city.

The death of Robert Brown ended a career of promise in the army. He was rated as a supply sergeant in the 30th company, 8th battalion, of the depot brigade at Camp Devens. He joined the colors June 27, having accompanied a Windsor county contingent to the commencement. He had been ill but a few days. His brothers, George A. Brown and William Brown, are in Ayer, and it is expected that they will accompany the body home early to-morrow.

The deceased was born in Barre Dec. 3, 1890. He was graduated from Spaulding high school in 1908, and shortly thereafter he was employed in Barre as a clothing clerk. Some seven years ago he went to Windsor, where, at the time of his enlistment, he was the proprietor of a clothing store. He was a member of the Odd Fellows and Masonic fraternities in Windsor.

Near relatives surviving are his mother, Mrs. John Brown of Bassett street, and the following brothers and sisters: John Brown of New York, Mrs. James Black of Pelletier, Mass., Miss Annie Brown of this city, George A. Brown of Barre, James Brown, who is serving with the American army in France, Leslie Brown, who is in government service in Alabama, and William Brown of Barre. His father died last January. An uncle and aunt of the deceased live in New York.

After less than a month of military training, Private Zeno Pellegrini of the depot brigade at Camp Upton, Yaphank, N. Y., died of pneumonia yesterday afternoon. His cousin, Joseph Pellegrini of Foss street, who received a telegram Tuesday saying that the young man was ill, was on his way to Camp Upton when the news of his death came in the form of a telegram delivered last evening to 99 Smith street, the home of Giacomo Zorzi, where the deceased resided. Private Pellegrini was without relatives in America, except for his cousin.

He was born in Italy 25 years ago, and had been a resident of Barre for the past four years. He learned the granite cutters' trade after coming to Barre and was employed at the plant of Jones Bros. when his call to the colors came. Three weeks ago Monday he left for Camp Upton in company with a sizeable contingent of Washington county boys. His father and mother live in Italy. Private Pellegrini was a member of the Italian society, Mutuo Soccorso, and was highly respected by his friends.

It is expected that the body will arrive in Barre to-morrow, accompanied by Joseph Pellegrini.

East Bethel Man Dead.

Camp Devens, Mass., Sept. 26.—Alonzo C. Mahan of East Bethel, Vt., died yesterday of pneumonia.

VERMONT QUOTAS ON LIBERTY LOAN

Vermont's quota in the fourth Liberty loan is \$13,002,500. Burlington's quota is \$1,617,000. Rutland's is \$285,000. Montpelier's is \$621,100. St. Johnsbury's is \$352,700. Barre's is \$400,000. Bellows Falls' is \$286,000.